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ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL

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DISTRICT 8

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July 27, 2001

The Honorable Robb Pitts  
And City Councilmembers  
55 Trinity Ave., SW  
Atlanta, GA 30335

Dear Council President Pitts and Councilmembers:

It is with great pleasure that we recommend the appointment of Mr. Rod Chatham to the People TV, Inc. Board of Directors. With his vast knowledge and experience in the media and technology field, Mr. Chatham is uniquely qualified for a position on the board. We hope that you will look favorably on his appointment.

We have attached a copy of Mr. Chatham's resume. If there are any questions concerning his appointment, please don't hesitate to call on us.

Sincerely,

  
Clair M. Muller, District 8

  
E. Lee Morris, District 7

  
Julia Emmons, Post 2 at-Large

Attach.

CMM/ELM/JE/cwf

cc: Mayor Bill Campbell, Glenda Minkin, Rhonda Johnson, and Rod Chatham

**Rod Chatham**  
734 Charles Allen Drive  
Atlanta, Georgia 30308  
Home Phone 404-876-0213

#### **SUMMARY**

My work history has been blessed with many opportunities to serve others. My ability to build effective and efficient technology-based cultural improvements has been my strength throughout. I plan to continue to improve human systems with cutting-edge technology.

#### **WORK HISTORY**

**1994-2001**

##### ***Media Specialist, Barneker High School***

Supervise all use of media and telecommunications. Consult with staff to plan media technology use. Produce community media outreach. Spearhead school partnership with Tech Corps Georgia, a community-based technology center bridging the digital divide, and manage the first Tech Corps Ga. school site, where students have built technology companies, SUCCESS TV and SUCCESS DOT COM, to produce media and technology that empower the community.

**1985-1993**

##### ***TV Production Instructor, Fulton County Schools***

Created SUCCESS TV, a school to work training partnership with local cable companies. Students at The South Fulton Vocational Center used a five camera remote truck and editing equipment to produce and cablecast community events.

**1980-1985**

##### ***Technology Coordinator, Fulton County Schools***

Supervised, budgeted, and directed all instructional technology use for Fulton Schools. Introduced instructional computing, moved all schools from film to video, franchised educational cable, and computerized booking systems for all media to all schools.

**1977-1980**

##### ***Producer, WETV/WABE FM, Atlanta***

Producer, technical director, and talent for television and radio instructional programs. Recruited and trained students who produced news segments for TV.

**1972-1977**

##### ***Teacher and Writer***

Taught English and Journalism at Hapeville, Campbell, and Westlake High Schools. Introduced TV Journalism by building closed circuit in school delivery of student productions. Scripted nationally syndicated instructional television for GPTV. Developed "RAPPORT", a communications magazine for Fulton Schools. Coached Varsity and Jr. Varsity Basketball and Tennis.

#### **EDUCATION**

B.S. and M. Ed. at Georgia State University - Instructional Communications.  
Additional work at University of Georgia, Georgia Southern University, West Georgia College, and Clark-Atlanta University for certifications in English, Library Science, Media, and Communications Technology.

#### **AWARDS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Wrote "Capital Punishment", winner of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences (Georgia) Emmy for the Best Instructional Television Production.

Certificates of Achievement, Film and Video Production, Eastman Kodak and Sony

President- League of Independent Fulton Educators

Education Chair- Georgia Alliance for Community Media

Former Treasurer- Professional Association of Georgia Educators

Former President- Citywide League of Neighborhoods (Atlanta)

First Vice-president- Friends of Piedmont Park

Former Board Member- Midtown Neighbors Association

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A COMMUNICATION BY  
COUNCIL MEMBERS CLAIR MULLER,  
LEE MORRIS, AND JULIA EMMONS

A COMMUNICATION APPOINTING MR.  
ROD CHATHAM TO THE PEOPLE TV  
BOARD, EFFECTIVE UPON COUNCIL  
CONFIRMATION.

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MAYOR'S ACTION

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FINAL COUNCIL ACTION

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